## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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## Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 9 references to be considered by the Examiner. Also enclosed is 1 foreign patent reference and/or non-patent literature as listed on the Information Disclosure Statement. The relevance of the foreign-language reference is that it is an Office Action cited from corresponding Korean Patent Application Serial No. 2007.48807. The cited references, U.S. Patent No. 7,137,967 and 7,264,612 and U.S. Publication Nos. 2004/0082919, and 2004/0087910 are related applications. The files of these applications may contain office actions, attorney arguments, allowed claims or indications of allowable subject matter, and cited references which the Examiner may consider to be relevant and/or material to the present application. In addition, as some or all of these applications may still be pending, future office actions, attorney arguments, notices of allowances, and cited references may be included in these files. It is the understanding of the Applicants that the Examiner has access to these files on a continuing basis, including any present or future office actions, attorney arguments, allowed claims or indications of allowable subject matter, or cited references listed therein, for review if the Examiner feels these documents are in anyway relevant or material to the examination of the present claims. If, however, the Examiner does not have access to these files or would like Applicants to provide

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copies of any office actions, attorney arguments, allowed claims or indication of allowable subject matter, or cited references, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the below listed phone number, or at the address of record.

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Respectfully submitted,

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